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TOPIC Soviet Engineer Unit Passing Through NEUMALDENSLIEBEN

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1. A train carrying a Soviet engineer unit arrived in NEUMALDENSLIEBEN (M 53/Y 51) at about 10 a.m. and was soon dispatched for HILLERSLEBEN (L 53/Y 51). The following troops and material were observed:

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Engineer troops and equipment on 13 boxcars.

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One motorboat,

A canvas-covered device, presumably a crane, on one heavy-duty flatcar.

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2. an engineer unit which had held summer practices in the TANGERSHUTTE (M 53/Y 75) area returned to HILLERSLEBEN by the above train.

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Comment: Component units (one infantry battalion and one engineer battalion) of the 207th Itz rifle Div had been permanently stationed in HILLERSLEBEN during the winter of 1948/1949.

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